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# DELAWARE'S RESPONSE TO COVID-19

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**Press Briefing  
April 13, 2021**

**[de.gov/coronavirus](https://de.gov/coronavirus)**

STATE OF DELAWARE

# DATA UPDATE

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**331**

**New Cases**

*7-day Average*

**5.9%**

**Positive Tests**

*7-day Average*

**152**

**Hospitalizations**

**1,587**

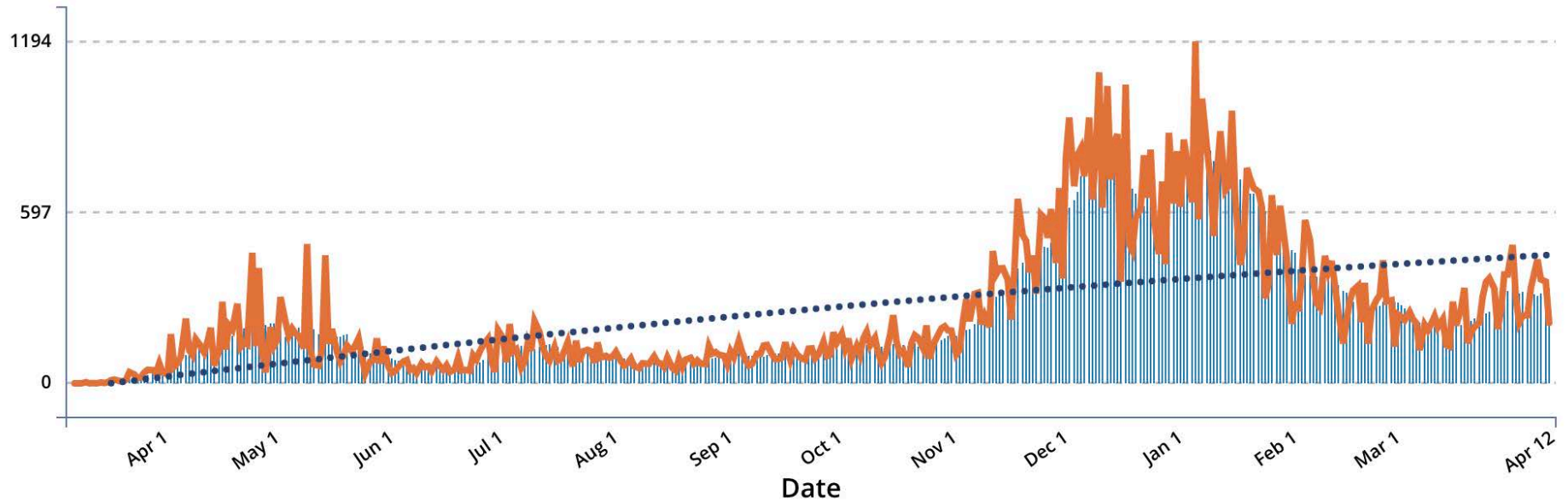
**Lives Lost**

View more COVID-19 data: [de.gov/healthycommunity](https://de.gov/healthycommunity)

STATE OF DELAWARE

# NEW POSITIVE CASES

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# CURRENT HOSPITALIZATIONS

*April 9: 167*

*April 17: 337*

*August 16 (LOW): 29*

*November 2: 107*

*December 4: 306*

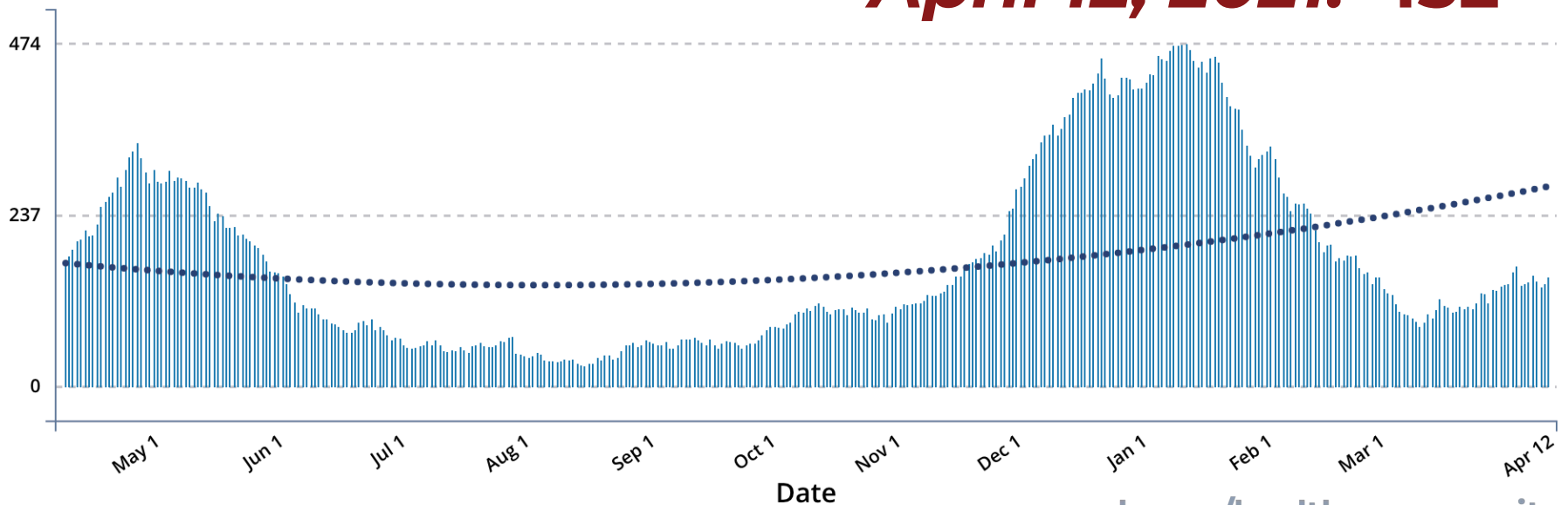
*January 4, 2021: 431*

*(PEAK) January 12, 2021: 474*

*February 1, 2021: 326*

*March 9, 2021: 99*

***April 12, 2021: 152***



STATE OF DELAWARE

# VACCINATION UPDATE

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**Doses Administered**  
**579,549**

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*Doses Delivered*  
**552,340**

*Federal Pharmacy  
Program Doses Delivered*  
**152,955**

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*Doses Remaining*  
**125,746**

*As of 04/13/2021 11:22 AM*

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# **VACCINE PROGRESS**

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**Over 38% of all  
Delawareans:  
at least one shot**

# VACCINE PROGRESS

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**83%**

**Seniors**

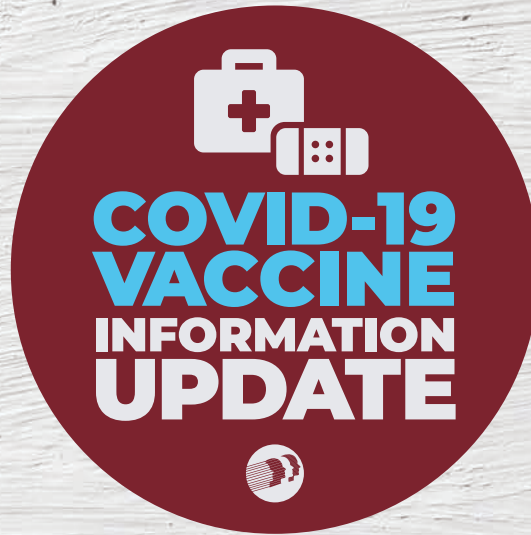
Partly or Fully  
Vaccinated

**43%**

**Age 16 & Up**

Partly or Fully  
Vaccinated





**ALL INDIVIDUALS 16+  
CAN NOW REGISTER FOR  
THE COVID-19 VACCINE  
AT ANY PROVIDER.**

***de.gov/getmyvaccine  
or call 1-833-643-1715***



# Vaccination Events

*Delaware City DMV*



*Dover International Speedway*



# **Dr. Karyl Rattay**

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**Director  
Delaware Division of Public Health**

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# Areas of Concern

Hockessin/Greenville

Newark

Christiana

Glasgow

Bear

Middletown

Camden-

Wyoming

Felton

Fairfax/Talleyville

Wilmington

(19801,19802, 19806)

Wilmington/Elsmere

Newport/Stanton

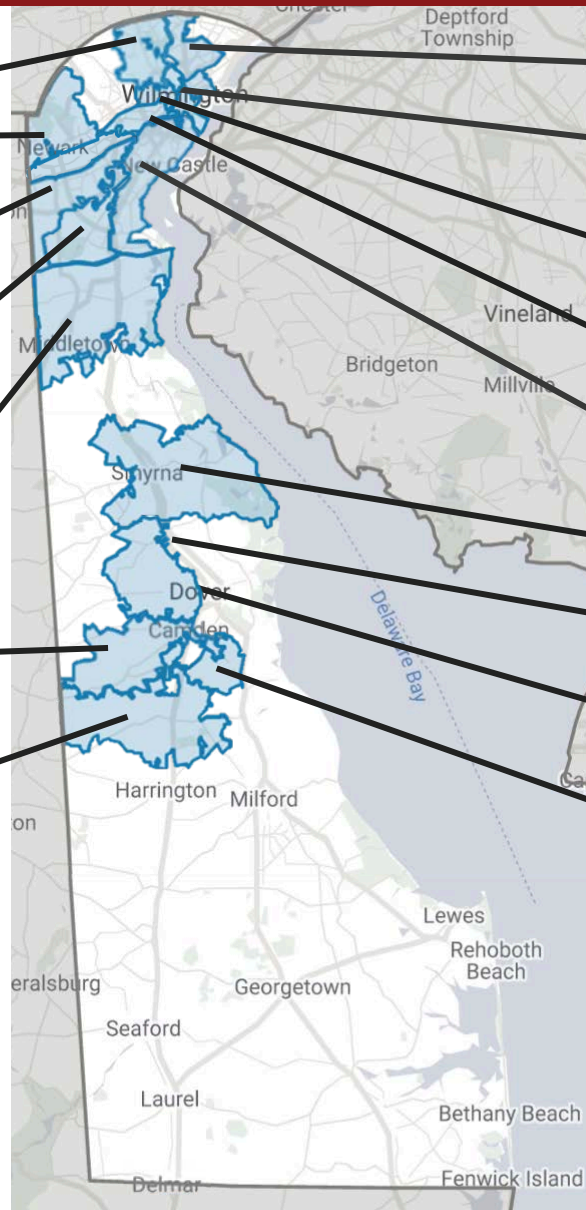
New Castle

Smyrna

Cheswold

Dover

Magnolia



Data as of April 11, 2021

# J&J VACCINE UPDATE

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- Had already prepared for slowdown based on supply
- FDA recommended pause of J&J administration based on 6 reports of blood clots out of 6.8 million shots – FDA purpose is to prepare the health care system to watch for and treat this complication
- **DELAWARE:** pausing J&J administration by State and advised pharmacies and providers
- Blood clot signs different than expected vaccine side effects – cases have been 6-13 days after vaccination:
  - Severe headache, abdominal pain, leg pain, or shortness of breath within three weeks after vaccination → contact health care provider

# COVID VARIANTS IN DELAWARE

Variants of Concern	Variant	Origin	# of Cases
	B.1.1.7	United Kingdom	64
	B.1.351	South Africa	1
	B.1.427	California, US	5
	B.1.429	California, US	7
Variants of Interest	B.1.525	New York, US	1
	B.1.526	New York, US	65

Positive for Variants/Samples Sequenced	Last Week		Over Time	
	32/89	36%	128/1426	9%

Data as of April 9, 2021



# **BREAKTHROUGH CASES**

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***Definition:*** Positive test after  
fully vaccinated

- **70 total in DE**
- **3 hospitalizations, 1 death**  
*(advanced age and underlying conditions)*

# REMINDERS

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**IF YOU ARE 16 OR 17:**

**Pfizer is the only vaccine type approved for those under age 18**

**IF YOU TRAVELED:**

**Get tested 3-5 days after your return**



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# Director A.J. Schall

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**Delaware Emergency Management Agency**

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# TESTING | KNOW YOUR COVID-19 STATUS

*April 3 – April 9*

**33,199**

*March 27 – April 2*

**37,451**

# WEEKEND RECAP

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A photograph of a vaccination site under a large tent. Two dark-colored SUVs are parked in the background. Several people wearing yellow safety vests and face masks are standing around the vehicles. The foreground is filled with numerous orange and white traffic cones, creating a queue system. The overall scene is dimly lit, possibly due to the tent's interior lighting or the time of day.

**14,000 vaccinations  
over 6 sites across  
the state**

# WEEKEND RECAP

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**Utilized  
EMTs for the  
first time**

**THANK YOU**  
Delaware State  
Fire School

# COVID-19 FUNERAL ASSISTANCE FROM FEMA

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## COVID-19 Funeral Assistance Line

Applications begin on April 12, 2021

**844-684-6333 | TTY: 800-462-7585**

**Hours of Operation:**

**Monday - Friday**

**9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Eastern Time**

**LEARN MORE:**

*<https://www.fema.gov/disasters/coronavirus/economic/funeral-assistance>*

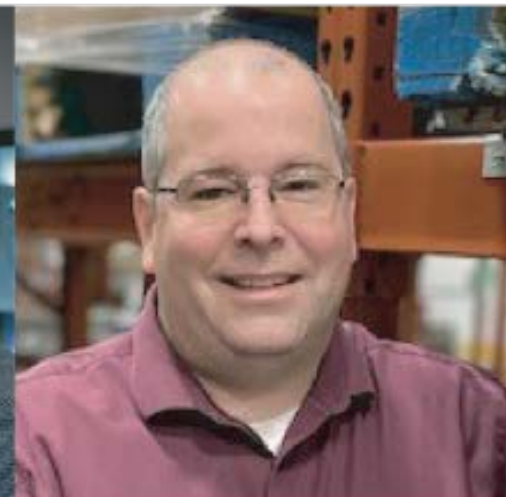
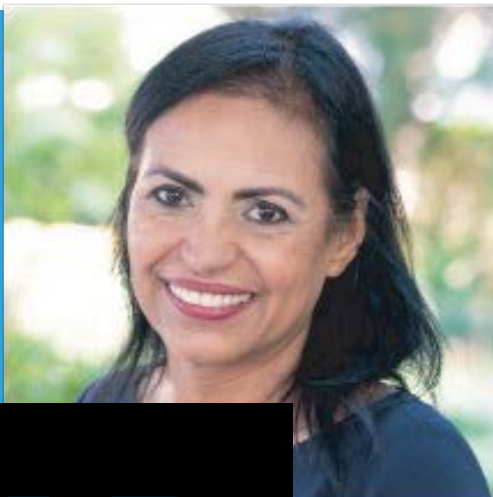


**FEATURING:**

**Wanda Barrett**  
United Way

**Ivan Thomas**  
DETV

**Chad Robinson**  
Food Bank of Delaware



# THE COVID

# CONVERSATION

**WATCH  
DETV  
LIVE**

**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 14**  
**6 PM/ENGLISH | 6:30 PM/SPANISH**



# Act with a sense of **community.**

- Wear a mask.
- Keep your distance.
- Wash your hands.
- Get tested.
- Download COVID Alert DE.
- Get the vaccine when eligible.
- **Protect yourself and your neighbors.**

For the latest updates:

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